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6 August 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Breakfast Meeting with Members and Staff of the  
Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, 6 August 1976

1. Today the Director hosted a breakfast meeting with members and staff of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. The meeting was arranged by Senator Adlai Stevenson, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Intelligence Collection, Production, and Quality, primarily for members and staff of that Subcommittee, but Senator Stevenson also invited other members of the Committee.

2. Present from the Committee were:

Senator Adlai Stevenson (D., Ill.)  
Senator Clifford Case (R., N. J.)  
Senator Gary Hart (D., Colo.)  
Senator Robert Morgan (D., N. C.)  
Senator William Hathaway (D., Maine)  
Senator Jake Garn (R., Utah)

3. Present from the Committee staff were:

Bill Miller, Staff Director  
Mike Madigan  
Hal Ford  
Rick Inderfurth  
Anne Karalekas  
Walter Ricks  
Ted Ralston

4. Present from the Agency were:

George Bush, Director  
E. Henry Knoche, Deputy Director  
Sayre Stevens, DDI  
Richard Lehman, D/DCI/NIO

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Paul Walsh, A/DDI

Ernest Zellmer, A/DDS&T

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Assistant to DDCI  
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George Cary, Legislative Counsel

[redacted], Assistant Legislative Counsel

5. After some introductory welcoming remarks by the Director, Paul Walsh presented an overall briefing of the intelligence production process. This was followed by a briefing for the Senators plus staff members Miller, Madigan, and Inderfurth on the latest Presidential finding [redacted] Senator Stevenson and the staff members subsequently toured the CIA Operations Center.

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6. Senator Hart was unable to stay for the scheduled briefing on a [redacted] He asked that it be rescheduled for next Thursday, at which time he would also like to tour the Operations Center.

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7. Following are follow-up items:

a. The Director stated his strong disagreement with an article in yesterday's Washington Post, the thrust of which was that the Defense Department is taking over the intelligence business. He agreed to provide Senator Stevenson a rebuttal memorandum.

b. After a discussion on the Intelligence Community budget, Senator Hathaway asked for a copy of budget material submitted to the Senate Appropriations Committee.

c. Arrangements for Senator Gary Hart's briefing and tour for next week.

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